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Applicant: Hubbell, et al. :
Serial No.: 09/938,286 : Group Art Unit No.: Unknown
Filed: August 23, 2001 : Examiner: Unknown
For: Novel Polymer Compounds :

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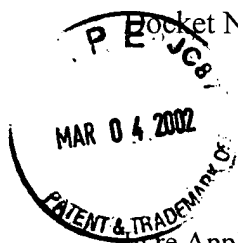
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- ☒ Response to Notice of Missing Parts of Non-provisional Application with Request for Three (3) Month Extension of Time and Copy of Notice;
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- ☒ Fee Transmittal Form;
- ☒ Check No. 1004959 in the amount of \$979.00;
- ☒ IDS § 1.56; and
- ☒ Acknowledgment postcard.

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

Sir:

This in response to the communication from the Patent Office entitled "Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application", mailed September 26, 2001. A duplicate copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts is enclosed.

The notice indicates that the statutory basic filing fee was not paid and the oath or declaration is missing. The executed Declaration and Power of Attorney is enclosed herewith. Also enclosed is check #1004959 in the amount of \$979.00 which represents payment of the basic filing fee, two (2) independent claims over 3, fee for a three (3) month extension of time and the late filing fee of oath or declaration surcharge. Any overpayment or refund should also be credited to Deposit Account No. 04-0480.

Respectfully submitted,

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Applicants request that any additional fees required by these papers be charged, or any overpayment be credited, to Deposit Account No. 04-0480.

Respectfully submitted,

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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2002

Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)**979.00**

Complete if Known

Application Number	09/938,286
Filing Date	August 23, 2001
First Named Inventor	Hubbell
Examiner Name	Unknown
Group Art Unit	Unknown
Attorney Docket No.	314572-106

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

☒ Check ☐ Credit card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other ☐ None

☐ Deposit Account:

Deposit Account Number **04-0480**
Deposit Account Name

The Commissioner is authorized to: (check all that apply)

☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below ☒ Credit any overpayments
☐ Charge any additional fee(s) during the pendency of this application
☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee to the above-identified deposit account.

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
101	740	201	370	Utility filing fee	370.00
106	330	206	165	Design filing fee	
107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee	
108	740	208	370	Reissue filing fee	
114	160	214	80	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)**370.00**

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims **12** - 20** = **0** X **42** = **0.00**
Independent Claims **5** - 3** = **2** X **42** = **84.00**
Multiple Dependent =

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	84	209	42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)**84.00**

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	65.00
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within second month	
117	920	217	460	Extension for reply within third month	460.00
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,960	228	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,280	242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	243	230	Design issue fee	
144	620	244	310	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	740	246	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	740	249	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	740	279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify) _____

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (3) (\$)**525.00**

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Signature		Date	Feb. 26, 2002		

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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01 FC:201	370.00 OP
02 FC:202	84.00 OP
03 FC:205	65.00 OP

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$80.
 ■ \$80 for 2 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 500.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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